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REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the final Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned patent application on January 29, 2003, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks.

AMENDMENT

Kindly amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1-13 without prejudice, and amend claim 29 as follows.

29. (Twice Amended) The method of claim 28, wherein said one member comprises a phenyl diboronic acid moiety.

In the Drawings:

Replace original Figures 1-12 with the accompanying formal Figures 1-12.